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TAGS: AORG, IAEA, PARM, SF

SUBJECT: JUNE BOARD MEETING: DESIGNATION QUESTION

REF: VIENNA 4789

1. REVISED STATEMENT FOR RECORD PER SUGGESTION CONTAINED
PARA 1 REFTEL IS APPROVED.

2. WE BELIEVE THAT BEST INTERESTS ALL CONCERNED WOULD BE
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TO AVOID VOTE IF AT ALL POSSIBLE OR TO CONFINE VOTE, IF VOTE
CALLED FOR, SOLELY TO BOARD SEAT UNDER CONTROVERSY. IF
DECISION BY VOTE APPEARS TO BE DEVELOPING, USDEL WORKING
WITH OTHER LIKEMINDED DELS SHOULD URGE CHAIRMAN TO FOLLOW
SCENARIO ALONG LINES PARA 2(B) REFTEL, TURNING TO DISPUTED
TWELFTH SEAT ONLY AFTER CONSENSUS DECISION RECORDED ON
ELEVEN UNDISPUTED DESIGNATIONS.

3. IF CHAIRMAN FOLLOWS SCENARIO OUTLINED IN PARA 2(A)
REFTEL, USDEL IS AUTHORIZED TO VOTE NO.

4. IF CHAIRMAN FOLLOWS SCENARIO OUTLINED IN PARA 2(B)
REFTEL, AND IF VOTE TAKEN IS ON CONTINUED DESIGNATION OF
SOUTH AFRICA, DEL SHOULD VOTE IN FAVOR. IF VOTE TAKEN ON
ANOTHER AFRICAN STATE, DEL SHOULD COORDINATE ITS VOTE WITH

OTHER WE'S STATING OUR BELIEF THAT FOR CONSTITUTIONAL
REASONS A NO VOTE WOULD BE IN ORDER. HOWEVER, WE CAN
APPRECIATE THE POLITICAL REASONS FOR ABSTAINING NOW THAT
IT IS CLEAR THAT SOUTH AFRICA WILL NOT BE DESIGNATED.
CONSEQUENTLY, IF OTHER WE'S CONCLUDE THAT AN ABSTENTION
IS NEEDED IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN INFLUENCE WITH OTHER
AFRICANS, USDEL IS AUTHORIZED TO JOIN IN ABSTENTION. IF
THERE IS NO AGREEMENT AMONG WE'S ON HOW TO VOTE, AND IF KEY
WE'S FEEL STRONGLY THAT A NO VOTE IS IN ORDER, YOU
SHOULD JOIN THEM.

5. DEL SHOULD IN ANY EVENT MAKE STATEMENT REVISED PARA 1
ON ANY ACTION TAKEN BY BOARD WHICH HAS EFFECT OF DENYING
SOUTH AFRICA THE DESIGNATED SEAT FOR THE AREA OF AFRICA,
AMENDED IN EVENT STATEMENT FOLLOWS VOTE ON DESIGNATION
ANOTHER AFRICAN STATE TO MAKE CLEAR US POSITION RELATED
SOLELY TO CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS INVOLVED.

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